

## PATENT COOPERATION TREATY

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(PCT Rule 61.3)

From the INTERNATIONAL BUREAU

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| Applicant's or agent's file reference<br>CRF D-2165A        | <b>IMPORTANT INFORMATION</b>  |   |
| International application No.<br>PCT/US98/25206             | International filing date (day/month/year)<br>07 December 1998 (07.12.98) | Priority date (day/month/year)<br>17 December 1997 (17.12.97) |
| <b>Applicant</b><br>CORNELL RESEARCH FOUNDATION, INC. et al |   |   |

1. The applicant is hereby informed that the International Bureau has, according to Article 31(7), notified each of the following Offices of its election:

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EP :AT,BE,CH,CY,DE,DK,ES,FI,FR,GB,GR,IE,IT,LU,MC,NL,PT,SE

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2. The following Offices have waived the requirement for the notification of their election; the notification will be sent to them by the International Bureau only upon their request:

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3. The applicant is reminded that he must enter the "national phase" before the expiration of 30 months from the priority date before each of the Offices listed above. This must be done by paying the national fee(s) and furnishing, if prescribed, a translation of the international application (Article 39(1)(a)), as well as, where applicable, by furnishing a translation of any annexes of the international preliminary examination report (Article 36(3)(b) and Rule 74.1).

Some offices have fixed time limits expiring later than the above-mentioned time limit. For detailed information about the applicable time limits and the acts to be performed upon entry into the national phase before a particular Office, see Volume II of the PCT Applicant's Guide.

The entry into the European regional phase is postponed until 31 months from the priority date for all States designated for the purposes of obtaining a European patent.

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## PATENT COOPERATION TREATY

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NOTIFICATION OF RECEIPT  
OF DEMAND(PCT Rule 61.1(b), first sentence  
and Administrative Instructions, Section 601)Date of mailing  
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14 JUL 1999

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## IMPORTANT NOTIFICATION

International application No.  
PCT/US98/25206International filing date (day/month/year)  
07 DEC 98Priority date (day/month/year)  
17 DEC 97Applicant  
CORNELL RESEARCH FOUNDATION, INC.

1. The applicant is hereby notified that this International Preliminary Examining Authority considers the following date as the date of receipt of the demand for international preliminary examination of the international application:

30 June 1999 (30.06.99)

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2. This date of receipt is:

the actual date of receipt of the demand.  
 the date on which the proper corrections to the demand were timely received.

3.  This date is AFTER the expiration of 19 months from the priority date.

**Attention:** The election(s) made in the demand does (do) not have the effect of postponing the commencement of the national phase until 30 months from the priority date (or later in some Offices) (Article 39(1)). Therefore, the acts for entry into the national phase must be performed within 20 months from the priority date (or later in some Offices) (Article 22).

For details, see Annex B to Form PCT/IB/301 sent by the International Bureau and Volume II of the PCT Applicant's Guide.

This notification confirms the information given in person or by telephone on:

4. Only where paragraph 3 applies, a copy of this notification has been sent to the International Bureau.

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| <b>Applicant</b>  |   |
| DANNENBERG, Andrew, J.  |   |

**1. The designated Office is hereby notified of its election made:**

in the demand filed with the International Preliminary Examining Authority on:

30 June 1999 (30.06.99)

in a notice effecting later election filed with the International Bureau on:

2. The election  was

was not

made before the expiration of 19 months from the priority date or, where Rule 32 applies, within the time limit under Rule 32.2(b).

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